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Head of CBS Gets Award in Journalism

NEW YORK, Sept. 19 (AP) —Frank Stanton, president of the Columbia Broadcasting System, has been chosen as recipient of the Paul White Memorial Award for the most significant contribution to the advancement of broadcast journalism in 1971.

The Radio Television News Directors Association will present the award to Stanton for his "courageous and determined efforts in defending the broadcast journalist's constitutional rights in the fact of a proposed contempt of Congress citation, arising from the subpoenaing of nonbroadcast material used in preparation of the documentary, "The Selling of the Pentagon.' "

It will be the second Paul White award for Stanton, who moves up to vice chairman of CBS on Oct. 1. He first was honored in 1957.

The award will be presented at a banquet Friday, Oct. 1, during the RTNDA International Conference at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Boston, said James A. McCulla, president of the association.